

## THE WEATHER

Partly cloudy with probably snow flurries tonight and Saturday; colder Saturday.

J. M. SHERIER,  
Observer.

Temperature--At 7 a. m. 19; at 2:30 p. m. 36.

## CITY CHAT.

McKown sells coal.  
Zazaro. Union cigar.  
For insurance, E. J. Burns.  
Buy a home of Reidy Bros.  
Tri-City Towel Supply company.  
For bus, baggage, express, call Robb's.  
McKown has second growth hard wood.  
For real estate and insurance, E. J. Burns.  
Fancy Michigan celery at Harris & Gauley's.  
Ho, for the Woltmann jewelry sale at McCabe's.  
Fresh pork cuts of all kinds at H. Tremann's Sons.  
All kinds of dressed poultry at Harris & Gauley's.  
Leaf lard and pork trimmings at H. Tremann's Sons.  
Discount on all winter overcoats at Gustafson & Hayes.  
Big reductions on all clothing at Summers & LaVelle's.  
Men's tennis night shirts 32 cents Saturday at McCabe's.  
Peanut caramels at 10 cents a pound Saturday at McCabe's.  
Big discount on all winter overcoats at Gustafson & Hayes.  
Read the big ad of the Lage-Waters Shoe company on this page.  
Mill ends of brown muslin 2 cents a yard Saturday at McCabe's.  
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Some 50 and 75 cent corsets for 37 cents Saturday at McCabe's.  
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Suits worth from \$12.50 to \$15 at \$9.49 at Gustafson & Hayes.  
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Call on McKown for choice hard coal and best grade soft coal.  
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Choice assorted roses at 47 cents a dozen Saturday at McCabe's.  
Read the big ad of the Lage-Waters Shoe company on this page.  
Dr. P. F. Purdine, 1716 1/2 Second avenue. Old phone at office, both phones

at residence. Hours, 9 to 12 a. m., and 2 to 5 and 7 to 8 p. m.

Full line of fresh fruits and vegetables at Hess Bros', tomorrow.

All kinds of coal for sale at the Rock Island Lumber company.

Women's fleeced dressing saques 29 cents Saturday at McCabe's.

Women's and children's tennis skirts 18 cents Saturday at McCabe's.

Plenty of nice, dressed chickens, ducks and geese at Schroeder's.

Plenty of fresh dressed turkeys and chickens at H. Tremann's Sons.

One-fourth off the price sells the overcoats, Summers & LaVelle.

Dressed turkeys, chickens, ducks and geese at Hess Bros', tomorrow.

Boys' drawers (only), worth 25 cents, only 11 cents, The London.

Low prices, 25 per cent reductions on men's suits, Summers & LaVelle.

Women's 10 cent brown mixed hose 6 cents a pair Saturday at McCabe's.

Men's negligee shirts, worth up to 75 cents, only 45 cents, The London.

For tin and furnace work, see H. T. Siemon, 1226 Fourth avenue, union 283.

Good coal, coal, coal, at Mueller Lumber company's. Both telephones.

Phone Spencer & Trefz for first class express, transfer or bus service.

Children's winter caps, worth up to 50 cents, only 10 cents, at the London.

Boys' stiff bosom shirts, worth up to \$1, only 25 cents. You know us, The London.

Mrs. Austin's buckwheat flour is best of all. Don't forget to ask your grocer for it.

Twenty-five per cent discount on all boys' and little fellows' suits at Summers & LaVelle's.

Pineapples, Florida and California oranges, and fancy eating apples at Harris & Gauley's.

Suits, one or two of a size, worth \$12.50, \$13.50 and \$15, now \$9.49 at Gustafson & Hayes.

Your choice of any overcoat in the store at 20 per cent discount. You know us, The London.

It's like finding money or finding jewelry at that closing of the Woltmann stock at McCabe's.

You should take advantage of our 20 per cent discount sale. It is a big saving for you, The London.

Good coffee, a bit of sausage and a plate of Mrs. Austin's buckwheat cakes makes a perfect breakfast.

The annual installation of officers of Black Hawk tent, K. O. E. M. will be held at Old Fellows hall this evening.

The body of Edward Bruwalder, who was found dead on the Knoxville road, four miles southeast of Milan, Monday, is still at Koon's undertaking rooms, awaiting advice from a sister

of the deceased who is thought to be living in Detroit.

Twenty per cent discount off of men's, boys' and children's suits, overcoats and pants. Come and get a bargain. The London.

Closing of the Fred Woltmann jewelry stock begins Saturday at McCabe's. Tumble in early, as this will be a great grab game. See ad.

When you need good, serviceable, up-to-date shoes, all warranted, at rock bottom prices, go to Finne's new shoe store, 1610 Second avenue.

The Flying Dutchman of Moline and the Central of Rock Island bowled a postponed game at the Central alleys last night. The Centrals won 2,461 to 2,313.

You who put off buying your overcoat until now make a big per cent on your investment; 20 per cent discount off of all winter overcoats in the store. The London.

A horse belonging to the Rock Island and Ice company dropped dead in its tracks in front of the court house on Fifteenth street this morning. It was a case of heart disease.

A basketball team representing company A, of this city, is scheduled to play at the Davenport Armory hall this evening with the second team of the high school of that city.

Tomorrow begins the grand closing out sale of the Fred Woltmann jewelry stock at McCabe's own store. Everything goes at only a fraction of Fred's old prices. See big ad.

The directors of the Rock Island National bank, at their meeting yesterday afternoon, reelected H. E. Casteel president, Mary E. Robinson vice president, and Harry B. Simmon cashier.

Mrs. Charles McHugh was removed this afternoon from St. Anthony's hospital to her apartments at the Harper house. She is recovering nicely from the operation she underwent.

The red letter sale is still going on. \$2.50 shoes at \$1.62, \$3 shoes at \$2.12, \$3.50 and \$4 shoes at \$2.55. Come and see the goods. Finne's new shoe store, five doors east of the Illinois theatre.

There was a game of basketball last evening at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium between the W. D.'s of the association and the Crescents of Augustana college, the latter losing by a score of 33 and 20.

Don't miss the second annual ball given by the Ideal Social club at Armory hall Saturday evening, Jan. 16, gentlemen 50 cents. Ladies free. Bleuer's orchestra. Come and have a good time.

The 9-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Y. Mizer, of near Taylor Ridge, met with an accident which caused a needle to penetrate the heel of her right foot. Dr. Eckhart was called, but the needle could not be found. The child was taken to Dr.

Upton, of Rock Island, who located it with the X-ray. The needle was found to be wedged between the calcaneum epiphysis and the os calcis. Dr. Upton removed the needle, assisted by Dr. Eckhart.

The local police have heard nothing further from John Scheuermann, the South Rock Island dairyman, and it is taken for granted that the threat made by unknown persons to poison his cows unless he placed a sum of money in a given spot was not carried out.

Prof. Frederick Starr, of Chicago university, and well known in the tri-cities, has been sent on an errand of an unusual nature to the northernmost island of the Japanese group, where he will secure some of the Ainu, or "hairy people" for exhibition purposes at the St. Louis world's fair.

E. H. McEntee, one of the leading citizens of Holstein, Iowa, who had many acquaintances here through his visits at the Woodmen head office, died yesterday of typhoid fever. He had been a delegate to the last four head camps of the Woodmen society, and was a member of the committee of 25 on readjustment of the society's rates.

The Beethoven club, of Moline, will begin the study of "The Swan and Skylark" by A. Goring Thomas, and "Fair Ellen" by Max Bruch, under the able direction of W. F. Bentley, director of music at Knox college, Galesburg, next Monday evening, Jan. 18, at the Y. M. C. A. hall. The rehearsal will begin at 7:45 and close at 9:30 o'clock. The fee will be 50 cents, and rent of music about 35 cents. All singers will be cordially welcome.

Dolly Stapleton, wife of George Stapleton, who is seeking divorce in Davenport on the ground that their marriage, which took place in this city several months ago occurred while he was under the influence of liquor, yesterday filed an answer to the declaration of her husband stating that she will resist the proceedings and holding that Stapleton was not only sober, but that he afterward expressed satisfaction that the match had been made.

The Rock Island road has issued a "gratuitous guide" to California. It is called "The Golden State" and is copyrighted by John Sebastian, passenger traffic manager of the system. Outwardly the guide is highly artistic and something quite out of the ordinary, and one look between the covers is sufficient to inspire any sane person who has not visited California with a desire to do so. The illustrations represent the best work of the photographer and engraver, and the reading matter is graphic and interesting.

All the news all the time — The Argus.

A SECOND AVENUE  
PROPERTY CHANGE

John L. Hoopes, Galesburg, to Open Restaurant Near "Q" Depot.

John L. Hoopes, of Galesburg, has purchased from Charles E. Case the brick building at the northwest corner of Second avenue and Twentieth street, now occupied by the C. R. & Q. saloon, and will convert it into a first class restaurant and lunch counter. The amount paid for the property was \$20,000. The Chicago Brewing company holds a five-year lease on it, but the new owner has made a proposition to buy it, in order that he can go ahead with his plans. Mr. Hoopes owns a number of lunch rooms along the Burlington lines.

## SATURDAY

Young & McCombs' Clearing Sale. "World on Fire," by Holstead, 29c. 35 ladies' black mercerized undershirts, regular price \$3.50, Saturday special \$2.39.

See the crowns Saturday for the last time.

The sale on shirt waists closes Saturday. One shirt waist at regular price and we give you one free, up to the same value.

Women's 2-clasp Pauline kid gloves, Saturday's price 59c.

45-inch bleached pillow casing, yd., 11c.

Men's jersey gloves and mittens, 11c.

Children's fleeced lined hose, sizes 6 to 10, per pair, 10c.

Plaid ribbons, Saturday's sale price, yd., 5c.

Don't fail to see the crowns of the rulers of the world, last day.

32 1/2 per cent discount on musical instruments, January clearing sale.

75-cent glass berry nappies, each 3c.

Broken mixed candy Saturday, per lb., 6c.

Gent's percale dress shirts, stiff bosom, detached cuffs, 75c values for 37 1/2c.

## Just One Minute.

One Minute Cough Cure gives relief in one minute, because it kills the microbe which tickles the mucous membrane, causing the cough, and at the same time clears the phlegm, draws out the inflammation and heals and soothes the affected parts. One Minute Cough Cure strengthens the lungs, wards off pneumonia and is a harmless and never failing cure in all curable cases of coughs, colds and croup. One Minute Cough Cure is pleasant to take, harmless and good alike for young and old. Sold by all druggists.

## McCABE'S

## Specials for Saturday.

Rugs, oriental designs, 2 1/2 x 3 feet, 78c.  
\$1.50 oak cane seat rockers, 95c.  
Hemstitched lunch cloths, 25c.  
Choice assorted roses, dozen, 47c.  
50c stamped linen center pieces, 15c.  
Peanut caramels, per lb., 10c.  
Women's fleeced dressing saques, 39c.  
Women's tennis skirts, 18c.  
Men's and boys' heavy sweaters, 38c.  
Men's tennis night shirts, 32c.  
Best borax, per lb., 9c.  
50c and 75c corsets, 37c.  
10c heavy shirtings, per yd., 6c.  
Mjll ends brown muslins, 3c.  
Women's 10c mixed stockings, 6c.  
Music in the evening.

## Found a Cure for Indigestion.

"I used Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets for indigestion and find that they suit my case better than any dyspepsia remedy I have ever tried, and I have used many different remedies. I am nearly 51 years of age and have suffered a great deal from indigestion. I can eat almost anything I want to now."—George W. Emory, Rock Mills, Ala. For sale by all druggists.

When bilious try a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and realize for once how quickly a first-class, up-to-date medicine will correct the disorder. For sale by all druggists.

## Rheumatism Cured in 24 Hours

T. J. Blackmore, of Haller & Blackmore, Pittsburg, Pa., says: "A short time since I procured a bottle of Mystic Cure. It got me out of the house in 24 hours. I took to my bed with rheumatism nine months ago and the Mystic Cure is the only medicine that did me any good. I had five of the best physicians in the city, but I received very little relief from them. I know the Mystic Cure to be what it is represented and take pleasure in recommending it to other poor sufferers." Sold by Otto Grotjan, 1501 Second avenue, Rock Island; Gust Schleigel & Son, 220 West Second street, Davenport.

## A Life at Stake

If you but knew the splendid merit of Foley's Honey and Tar you would never be without it. A dose or two will prevent an attack of pneumonia or la grippe. It may save your life. All druggists.

It's funny why people eat pies and pickles at midnight lunches and expect a fair complexion. No wonder they have to take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea to bring back the bloom of youth. 35 cents. T. H. Thomas' pharmacy.

## TODAY'S MARKETS

Chicago, Jan. 15.—Following are the opening, highest, lowest and closing quotations in today's markets:

**Wheat.**  
May, 87 3/4; 80 1/2; 87 1/2.  
July, 81 1/2; 82 1/2; 81 1/2—82 1/2.  
**Corn.**  
Jan., 44 1/2; 44 1/2; 44 1/2.  
May, 45 1/2; 45 1/2; 45 1/2.  
July, 43 1/2; 43 1/2; 43 1/2—43 1/2.  
**Oats.**  
Jan., 28 1/2; 28 1/2; 28 1/2.  
May, 40 1/2; 40 1/2; 40 1/2.  
July, 37 1/2; 37 1/2; 37 1/2—37 1/2.  
**Pork.**  
Jan., 12 57; 12 50; 12 57; 12 50.  
May, 12 57; 12 50; 12 57; 12 50.  
**Lard.**  
Jan., 6 05; 6 75; 6 05; 6 75.  
May, 6 85; 7 00; 6 85; 7 00.  
July, 6 85; 7 00; 6 85; 7 00.  
**Ribs.**  
Jan., 6 32; 6 75; 6 32; 6 75.  
May, 6 55; 6 75; 6 55; 6 75.  
Dec., 6 75; 6 75; 6 75; 6 75.  
Rye, Jan. 54 1/2; May 57 1/2; Oct. N. W. 10 1/2; S. W. 9 1/2; Jan. 10 1/2; May 10 1/2; barley 38 1/2.  
**Receipts today.** Wheat 28, corn 30, oats 104; hogs 50,000; cattle 20,000; sheep 6,000.  
**Stock market opened weak.**  
Light, \$1.00; 400,000; good heavy, \$1.00; 25,000; rough heavy \$1.00; 40,000.  
Cattle market opened steady.  
Sheep market opened steady.  
Union stock yards 8 1/2 to 9.  
Hog market slow, 5 to 10c lower.  
Light, \$1.00; 40,000; mixed and butchers, \$1.00; 40,000; good heavy, \$1.00; 25,000; rough heavy, \$1.00; 40,000.  
Cattle market slow but steady.  
Beefers \$1.00; 40,000; cows and heifers 12 1/2 to 13 1/2; Texas steers 12 1/2 to 13 1/2; stockers and feeders 12 1/2 to 13 1/2.  
Sheep market steady to strong.  
Hog market closed 10c lower.  
Light, \$1.00; 40,000; mixed and butchers, \$1.00; 40,000; good heavy, \$1.00; 25,000; rough heavy, \$1.00; 40,000.  
Cattle market closed dull and weak.  
Sheep market closed steady.  
Estimated receipts Saturday: Wheat 3, corn 25, oats 130, hogs 27,000.  
**New York Stocks.**  
New York, Jan. 15.—The following are the closing quotations on the New York stock exchange:  
Sugar 24 1/2; Gas 9 1/2; C. R. I. & P. 2 1/2; South Am. Pacific 48 1/2; B. & O. 75; Atchafson common 60 1/2; Atchafson pfd. 88 1/2; C. M. & St. P. 14 1/2; Manhattan 14 1/2; copper 30; W. U. Tel. Co. 87 1/2; L. & N. 107 1/2; C. & A. 23 1/2; Erie common 45; Can. Pacific 117 1/2; Leather common 10 1/2; B. R. T. 48 1/2; Pacific mail 10 1/2; S. Steel pfd. 37 1/2; U. S. Steel common 30 1/2; Penna. 110 1/2; Mo. Pacific 61 1/2; Union Pacific 78 1/2; coal and iron 36 1/2; Erie common 27 1/2; Calash pfd. 38 1/2; Car. Foundry 18 1/2; C. & G. W. 10 1/2; Rep. Steel pfd. 41 1/2; Rep. Steel common 40 1/2; New York Central 110 1/2; Illinois Central 31.

## LOCAL MARKET CONDITIONS

**Today's Quotations on Provisions, Live Stock, Feed and Fuel.**  
Rock Island, Jan. 15.—Following are the quotations on the local market:  
**Provisions.**  
Butter—Creamery 22c; dairy 19c.  
Eggs—Fresh 27c.  
Live poultry—Spring chickens 8c per pound; hens 7c per pound.  
Vegetables—Potatoes, etc.  
**Live Stock.**  
Cattle—Steers \$1.50 to \$1.75; cows and heifers \$1.00 to \$1.25; calves \$1.00 to \$1.25.  
Hogs—Mixed and butchers \$1.00 to \$1.25; Shams—Yearlings or over, per cwt. \$1.50 to \$1.75; Lamb per head \$5.00 to \$6.00.  
**Feed and Fuel.**  
Grain—Corn new 45 to 46c; oats, 20c; Forage—Timothy hay, \$8 to \$9.50; prairie \$5 to \$6; straw \$6.50.  
Coal—Hard, per bushel \$5.00; soft, per bushel \$4.50 and \$1.75, closing price.



# Great Closing Out Sale IS NOW IN FULL BLAST.

Crowds of people are rushing to this store, coming the second, third and fourth time, bringing their friends with them. Customers talking among themselves of the tremendous bargains. See the bundles of shoes going out of this store. Is this not enough to convince you that this is an honest and the most upright shoe sale ever conducted in Rock Island

## TAKE YOUR TIME AND READ THE FOLLOWING.

## Douglas Shoes for Men.

We have about 97 pairs of these shoes prices, \$3, \$3.50 and \$4.00. We will close them out as follows: All \$2.00 Douglas shoes.....**1.89**  
All \$3.50 Douglas shoes.....**2.00**  
All \$4.00 Douglas shoes.....**2.48**  
Patent leather shoes for men in all the different styles of leathers, all sizes.....**2.60**  
Men's velvet calf shoes, all of the best makes and very cheap at \$3.00 we are closing out.....**1.95**

## Men's Satin Calf Shoes.

All sizes, and in all styles, lace or congress, tipped or plain toe, regular \$3.50 and \$4.00 closing out price.....**85c**



## One great lot of Boys' Shoes

In box calf, velour, calf and soft skin shoes, all sizes, former price \$1.50 to \$2.00 closing price.....**95c**  
Best quality rubber heels closing at.....**15c**

## We have a lot of men's fine shoes in

patent leathers, velour, calf, soft skin, all styles of toes, all styles of lasts. We bought these \$3.50 and \$4.00 and some \$5.00 together all one price.....**2.25**  
Ladies fine shoes, hand turned or welt sole, lace or button, new lasts, all sizes, and genuine snaps. These shoes sold for \$3.50 by the Leader, closing out price.....**1.95**  
Ladies' fine velour calf shoes; a nice soft shoe with extension sole. This is a dandy, Leader price \$2.50 closing out price.....**1.48**  
Ladies' fine kid slippers, hand turn and fleeced lined. Leader price 95c, closing out price.....**69c**

## The Nelson Shoe for Men.

Every shoe stamped Nelson, \$3.50 shoes in box calf and velour kid, heavy soles, all sizes and widths, closing price.....**2.60**

## The Regent Shoe for Men.

Patent enamel box calf and velour kid, Blucher or plain lace, all styles of toe and sizes, this advertisement \$3.50 for.....**2.60**  
One lot of ladies' and misses' fine kid and patent leather shoes bunched together.....**49c**  
All our 10c Shoe Polish for.....**5c**

## One lot of ladies' and misses' fine shoes

that the Leader sold for \$2.50 and \$3.00 are bunched together for this closing out sale price.....**69c**  
One lot of ladies' and misses' fine shoes closing out price.....**79c**  
Ladies' kid shoes in all sizes, little broken in kinds yet a good assortment, some patent leathers, closing price.....**98c**

## Youths' Patent Leather Shoes.

Sold by the Leader for \$2.25 closing price.....**1.25**  
Boys' patent leather shoes, sold by the Leader for \$2.00 closing out price.....**1.25**  
Children's shoes, box calf and kid, sizes 8 1/2 to 12, sold by the Leader for \$1.25, our closing out price.....**85c**



## Misses' shoes, box calf and kid, Leader

price \$1.50, our closing out price.....**85c**  
Men's Buckle Overshoes, warranted best quality, Leader price \$1.25, our closing out price.....**79c**  
Ladies' handsome velvet warm lined slippers, closing out price.....**69c**  
Men's heavy lace shoes for hard wear, regular price \$3.50 and \$4.00, closing price.....**85c**

No other store in the Tri-Cities can compete with us. We started determined to lead, TODAY WE ARE LEADERS. We are anxious to CLOSE OUT THIS STOCK and open our New Store at 1703 Second Ave.

# LAGE-WATERS SHOE COMPANY,

Closing Out the Leader Shoe Stock at 1705 Second Avenue.